

WEATHER FORECAST FOR TODAY.
Fair weather, possibly valley showers
towards evening.

SUGAR—96° Centrifugals, 3.76 in
New York.

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HONOLULU, HAWAII TERRITORY, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1903.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

HOME RULE BILL FOR COUNTIES IS ALIVE IN HOUSE

Nine Republicans Assist in Giving the Measure a Chance by Passing Its First Reading.

Fire Claims Appropriation Receives Approval of Committee of Whole and Goes Through Second Reading.

"For the purpose of harmony," as some of the members of the Republican wing expressed it, but for a deeper reason, according to many outsiders who have viewed the movements of the Legislature recently, the Home Rule County Bill, rejected by the House two weeks ago, was taken from the table, passed first reading, ordered to print, and thus put in line for consideration, as soon as it can be had out of the hands of the printer.

This action of the House, taken early yesterday, was perhaps the most important thing done, and with the addition of the passing to second reading, after discussion in Committee of the Whole House, of the Fire Claims appropriation bill, practically sums up the hard work of the House yesterday. There was the usual number of resolutions for appropriations and notices of bills, with several introductions of measures, but withal there was nothing done which upheld the promise of hard work by the lower body. The County bill, which is now the order of the day, has not been laid on the tables of the members, and consequently has not had its test. There was a well defined rumor yesterday that the Home Rulers would try and prevent consideration of the bill until their own measure was printed and placed before the members, but this could not be verified, and was strenuously denied by one of the Republicans who voted to take the minority measure off the table.

The Senate worked a little, discussing the measure of Kalauokalani to license dressmakers, to some extent. The matter was finally laid over for consideration with the license section of the county bill, it appearing that its object was to license establishments, while as worded it would compel every woman who sews to take out a license.

IN THE HOUSE.

Under the calling of the order of business in the House, Lewis presented the petition of residents, owners and claimants of homesteads in what is known as the Kailiki tract, South Hilo, for roads to their property.

The Printing committee reported a number of bills as ready for distribution, and they were laid on the desks of members.

WANT NEW ROADS.

The public lands committee reported a number of appropriations recommended, principally for roads, as follows: \$10,000 for making a sufficient reservoir and the supplying of the District of Waimea with water pipes; \$1,000 for Kullouou road; \$1,500 for Anapuni street; \$3,000 for Kailiki avenue; \$3,000 for Waiakae road; \$1,500 for Waiakae road; \$1,500 for Kaula road; \$1,500 for Niu road; \$1,000 for macadamizing receiving station road; \$8,000 for a cemented and rock-filled breakwater at the Hookena landing; \$3,000 for stone and concrete bridge for Koholalele, Oahu; \$3,000 for new fire station in Kailiki.

Kailiki: \$2,000 for breakwater at Kailiki, Oahu.

RESOLUTIONS FOR CASH.

Kealawa presented a resolution asking for an appropriation of \$400 each for jails at Pahoa and Kalapaua, Puna.

Paele asked for \$500 for a school house at Koolaukoko.

Lewis presented a request for \$20,000 for repairs and changes in the Hilo Hospital, and \$9,000 for maintaining and running the same.

Harris asked that \$40,000 be inserted in the appropriation bill for an exhibit of Hawaii at the St. Louis exposition in 1904.

KANIHO AND STEAMERS.

Kaniho introduced the element of the unusual into the proceedings by presenting a long resolution setting forth that since the various Island steamers had raised the price of deck passages, and as the granting of a subsidy would mean the placing of the steamer company under obligations to the people, that the following subsidies be granted to the steamers: Kinau, \$4,000; Mauna Loa, \$5,000; Claudine, \$3,000; W. G. Kailiki.

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JURY SAYS JACKSON IS NOT GUILTY OF SETTING FIRE THAT BURNED FRIEL RESIDENCE

After being out for an hour last night the jury in the case of Nigel Jackson, charged with burning the Friel residence on the morning of October 30, brought in a verdict of not guilty at five minutes after midnight.

The jury for the trial of the case was sequestered shortly after the opening of court yesterday morning and was as follows: Herman Meek, A. E. Lloyd.

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NIGEL JACKSON.

PRINCE KUNUIAKEA JOINS THE MAJORITY



PRINCE ALBERT KUNUIAKEA.

Last of the Kamehameha Heirs to Hawaii's Throne Will Be Buried Sunday in the Royal Mausoleum in Nuuanu.

Prince Albert Kukaikimoku Kunuiakea, the last heir of the Kamehameha dynasty to the throne of Hawaii, died yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock in a residence on the Beach road, where the death of the Princess Ninito also occurred some years ago. Death came after an illness of several weeks. The remains were removed during the evening to the late Prince's residence in Palama, near the home of Hon. W. C. Achi, where they will lie in state until Sunday afternoon when the funeral will take place.

In the interim the body will be given all royal honors, as is the custom upon the death of members of the royal family and of chiefs, male and female, and the remains will be interred at the Royal Mausoleum in Nuuanu Valley.

with the rest of the Kamehamehas. The funeral arrangements have not been perfected and may not be announced until Thursday. A large number of kahilis are being made for use about the bier and for the funeral services. The body will lie in state today from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m., and each day thereafter until Sunday. Prince Albert left a widow.

Prince Albert Kukaikimoku Kunuiakea was born on June 18, 1851, at Kualihelani, now the site of Central Union Church. He was named after the two ancient gods of Hawaii of that name and was brought up from infancy in the old Iolani Palace by Kamehameha III and his consort Queen Kalama. After the death of Kamehameha III he resided in "Kinau Hale" with the Dowager

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QUEEN ALEXANDRA.

PORTLAND, ORE., HAS GREAT FIRE ON WATERFRONT

A Destructive Cyclone Visits the City of Townsville, a Port of Queensland.

Railroad's Capital Increased--Manila Editor Convicted of Libel--Boxers Betrayed. Nym Crinkle Dead.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLEGRAMS.)

PORTLAND, Ore., March 10.—Two fires occurred today at the Victoria dock, destroying 10,000 tons of wheat belonging to Canning, Wallace and Zan Bros. The Ash street dock and half a block on Albina street were also burned. The fires were of incendiary origin.

Cyclone in Australia.

BRISBANE, March 10.—In a cyclone at Townsville, many were killed and injured. The hospital collapsed and six persons were killed. Many buildings were destroyed and hundred of people are homeless.

Townsville is a thriving place and an important seaport of North Queensland. It contains wooden buildings only and for this reason a cyclone would do great damage there. The town has one long main business street, lined on each side by one and two story structures. It has a large wool trade and considerable sugar is shipped from that point from the North Queensland cane fields.

Nym Crinkle Dead.

NEW YORK, March 10.—"Nym Crinkle," the well-known journalist and author is dead.

"Nym Crinkle" won fame as a dramatic critic and author and served on various New York newspapers. His name was Andrew Carpenter Wheeler. He was born in New York in 1835. Among the best known of his works was: "The Twins," a comedy; "The Chronicles of Milwaukee;" "The Primrose Path of Dalliance;" and "Easter in a Hospital Bed." He lived for many years in New York hotels and was accounted a musical critic of great ability.

Distress in Dalmatia.

VIENNA, March 10.—The distress in Dalmatia is so great that people there are subsisting upon bark and herbs.

Found Guilty of Libel.

MANILA, March 10.—Crozier, editor of the American, has been found guilty of libeling Gen. George W. Davis.

Strike of the Shipbuilders.

BROOKLYN, March 10.—Two thousand workmen in the shipbuilding industry here are out on a strike.

Increases Capital Stock.

PHILADELPHIA, March 10.—The Pennsylvania railroad has increased its capital stock to \$150,000,000.

Bad for the Boxers.

PEKING, March 10.—The Boxers have been dispersed by the imperial troops and many of them beheaded.

BRITISH SOVEREIGNS CELEBRATE FORTIETH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

LONDON, March 10.—The fortieth anniversary of the marriage of King Edward and Queen Alexandra was celebrated today with general enthusiasm.

No event in the life of King Edward, not excepting that of being born heir to the crown of England, has brought him so much real happiness and so much good fortune as his marriage, in 1863, to the Princess Alexandra, the beautiful and charming daughter of the King and Queen of Denmark. A truer or more noble woman has never graced a throne than Queen Alexandra; a better wife and mother no royal home

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